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EDWARD F. DIBBLE  
SEED GROWER

HONEOYE FALLS, N.Y.





# The Plain Truth About the 1911 Farm Seed Situation

## The 1910 Crop of Potatoes

owing to prolonged drought in many of the heavy potato-producing states of the Northwest, while heavy and continued rains prevailed in others, was a most uneven one. September 1st indications pointed to the smallest potato crop on record during the last twenty years. More favorable conditions existed, however, throughout the United States during the last half of September and the first half of October, with the result that the final figures given out by the Department of Agriculture and supplemented by Statistician Snow of the American Agriculturist show an available crop from 50,000,000 to 75,000,000 bushels *smaller* than that of last year. The crop of 1909 was around 376,000,000 bushels. Snow, of the Agriculturist, estimates the crop of 1910 as around 300,000,000 bushels, while the Department of Agriculture places the 1910 crop slightly more; but we question if the Department has taken into consideration the fact that certain heavy-producing sections in several potato-growing states are seriously affected with rot, and it is our candid opinion according to the best of information at our command that Statistician Snow is probably correct in his estimate of the potato crop of 300,000,000 bushels, for 1910.

The potato states of the North and middle West, such as Minnesota, the Dakotas, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Ohio, Indiana and Wisconsin, all have short crops. Several of the states above mentioned produced but little if any over one-half a crop.

All the early varieties suffered severely owing to the general drought that prevailed throughout the early-potato-growing section of the United States during the early summer, and the crop of all varieties of early potatoes is far below the normal. Therefore, to sum up, would say that in our opinion, the late varieties will bring good, fair prices as planting time approaches, while the early varieties of all kinds will be fully as high or higher than the prices prevailing in the spring of 1909.

## As to Seed Oats

The Government Crop Report shows a slightly larger crop than that of a year ago with a production of nearly 33 bushels per acre with an average weight of nearly 33.7 pounds per bushel. Our crop in western New York was an average crop producing more than twice the average yield of the United States per acre and the weight of our seed oats will average from 34 to 40 pounds per measured bushel.

## Seed Corn

Seed corn is going to be plentiful and there will be a tendency to offer "so called" seed corn at comparatively low prices. The Government Crop Report shows the largest corn crop on record, the quality, however, owing to varying weather conditions in the different corn states, is going to be very uneven, good, bad and indifferent. With us, in the sections where we grow our seed corn, the dry weather was most favorable, and with the splendid weather prevailing at time of harvest and all through the period we were placing our seed corn in store, we are pleased to be able to inform our customers that we have in stock at present the best lot of seed corn that we have ever owned, corn that will germinate 95 to 98 per cent.

## Clover and Timothy Seed Higher Still. 1910 CROP VERY SHORT

The records available at the present time show that the crop of Medium, Mammoth and Alsike clover for 1910 is decidedly smaller than the short crop of last year, which was, in fact, one of the shortest crops in the last decade; therefore, in our opinion, clover seed of these three varieties will average considerable more than the prices prevailing last spring.

Alfalfa, which produces seeds very freely in a dry season, was a splendid crop, and although the demand for alfalfa is increasing very fast in America, we believe the price will not be higher than that of last spring.

Timothy, which was in plentiful supply and cheap last year, has doubled in value within a year, owing to the drought in the middle West where most of the Timothy seed is grown. The 1910 crop of Timothy is the shortest on record. Choice seed of the clovers and Timothy will be in light supply and we advise our customers to place their orders for our D. B. brand early.



**EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEEDGROWER**  
HONEYE FALLS, N. Y.

Date	191	AMOUNT ENCLOSED
Name		P. O. Order - - - \$
Post Office		Draft on New York - \$
County		Cash (in Reg'd Letter) \$
State		\$
Freight Station		\$

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# Annual Catalogue, 1911

## EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED GROWER



IN asking your careful consideration for this our 20th Annual Catalog, we congratulate our customers upon the fact that farm seeds of our introduction and dissemination have again given such general satisfaction to commercial growers throughout a score of states, in spite of the very unfavorable weather conditions that prevailed in many sections during the growing season of 1910.

This is strictly a **Farm Seed Catalog** and we grow and sell Farm Seeds and Farm Seeds only. If you want garden or flower seeds, look elsewhere for them, but if in need of Farm Seeds of any kind, we are **Headquarters**.

Our prices are as low as the **Best** farm seeds can be sold as we sell direct from our Seed Farms to yours, just one grade and that the **best** Farm seeds that money will buy. You cannot buy cheap low-grade seeds of us for we do not grow or buy them ourselves. If, as occasionally happens, some of our crops grow wrong, we do not bring them near our Seed Houses but dispose of the Oats, Corn, Potatoes or whatever the crop may be, to the local dealers to ship on to the markets for consumption. When we purchase seeds to supplement those of our own growing, we buy but one grade, and that the best grade obtainable, regardless of price.

Now, if you want **high quality** seeds, order from this catalog. If you want cheap seeds, buy of the "other fellow" for we do not handle them.

In writing the descriptions of our various varieties of Seed Potatoes, Corn, Oats, etc., we tell the exact truth about each sort to the very best of our knowledge and belief. We do not believe in exaggeration and bombast, and therefore try to be careful and accurate in everything we say about our seeds. Throughout the book you will find many testimonial letters from satisfied customers, and these statements prove that Dibble's Farm Seeds "make good" when given a fair chance. We trust that you will take the time to read what we say about our seeds, but be sure and read **what others say about them**.

Our location and shipping facilities are of the best, and freight rates to points in the middle and eastern states are low. Honeoye Falls is 13 miles south of Rochester, 70 miles from Buffalo, and on the New York Central and Lehigh Valley Railroads.

Freight rates to principal points are as follows:

Rate Points	Per 100 Lbs.	Rate Points	Per 100 Lbs.
New York.....	\$0 15	Worcester.....	\$ 17½
Trenton.....	15	Springfield.....	17½
Philadelphia.....	15	Hartford.....	17½
Baltimore.....	15	New Haven.....	17½
Pittsburgh.....	15	Bridgeport.....	17½
Harrisburg.....	15	Providence.....	17½
Cleveland.....	15	Washington.....	20
Boston.....	17½	Albany.....	10

**PRICES** are f. o. b. shipping station. Barrels and bags free, as stated.

**TERMS.**—*Strictly cash with order, except on car-load lots, upon which we will make you a special price delivered at your station. If customers order goods shipped to a prepaid station, or to a station at which there is no agent, cash must accompany the order to prepay the freight; otherwise we will ship to the nearest railroad station at which there is a regular agent.*

**REFERENCES.**—Bank of Honeoye Falls, Bank of Lima, Dun's or Bradstreet's, editors of any and all leading agricultural papers, and thousands of satisfied customers.

**OUR GUARANTEE.**—We guarantee our Seed Potatoes, northern grown, assorted for seed purposes, and a first-class sample of the variety. Our Oats and Corn are thoroughly re-cleaned and screened by the best mills known to the trade, and in first-class condition for sowing. We use all reasonable care in sending out our seeds, but do not guarantee, nor will we be responsible for the crop grown from any of our seeds. If our customers have any complaint to make of any kind, it must be made on receipt of goods, to receive attention. Otherwise it will be mutually considered between the buyer and seller that the goods are satisfactory.



# DIBBLE'S SEED POTATOES

## The Best in the World



To grow a profitable crop of Potatoes, several things are essential; (1) **Good Seed**, (2) **Good Soil**, (3) **Good Farming**; and the three work together and compel success.

Our Seed Potatoes are now so well known, and their superiority so thoroughly established, that it would be superfluous to go into details here, were it not that this Catalog will go into the hands of thousands who are not acquainted with the merits of our Potatoes.

During a great many years on various trial-grounds and on the farms of thousands of our customers, potatoes of our introduction and dissemination have given general satisfaction. On the Eden trial-grounds in Massachusetts where more thousands of varieties of potatoes have been tested than on any other spot on the continent, Dibble's Seed Potatoes stood at the head three years in succession. At the great Potato Show held at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 7-10, 1910, Dibble's Seed Potatoes won the First Prize for the largest, best and most comprehensive display of potatoes (there being over 100 varieties in our exhibit), and this Cornell Potato Show was by all odds the greatest Potato Show ever held in the Empire State, the leading potato state of the Union. Whenever we have exhibited at the leading Fairs of the East, such as the Inter-State Fair at Trenton, N. J., the New York State Fair, at Syracuse, our seed potatoes have taken First Prize and first honors in each and every case over all other exhibitors.

Mr. J. R. Lawrence, of the Eden Trial Grounds, pronounces Dibble's seed potatoes—"Early, intermediate and late, best for general culture both for production and quality." By reading the testimonials scattered throughout the book, you will find that our seeds are recommended by the editors of leading agricultural papers, various experiment Stations, and the Departments of Agriculture of the United States and the Dominion of Canada.

Our Potatoes have not only proved the "best in the world" on the trial grounds, but on thousands of farms where Potatoes are grown commercially. **Dibble's Seed Potatoes** have given such splendid crops, outyielding, in many instances, home-grown seeds two to one, that we unhesitatingly say that "**Dibble's Seed Potatoes, grown in the cold North, on land naturally adapted to the best development of each variety, will produce larger and better crops than those from any other source.**"

It is a well-known fact that certain Potatoes give much better results on some soils than on others, and we urge the importance of every farmer's thoroughly testing numerous varieties of Potatoes, as, by so doing, he is sure to find the Potato for his individual soil.

This year our stock is just right to cut to the best advantage for planting, tubers running a nice medium size, in fact, *ideal* Seed Potatoes. Mr. Martin of our firm, who is in direct personal charge of our storage and shipping departments, pronounces the Potatoes he has placed in storage this fall "the best stock he has ever taken into our warehouses." To the best of our knowledge and belief every bushel of Potatoes we offer our customers was raised from fields that were free from blight. Beware of "cheap" seed potatoes from blighted fields. It is important to plant northern grown seed, full of vitality, firm, hard and free from sprouts. We can furnish you just such stock at the lowest prices consistent with the highest possible quality. Then, with good soil and good farming, your 1911 Potato crop is assured, as you know that, when you do your part, "God giveth the increase."





## **The New Potato Irish-Up-to-Date**

This new main-crop white Potato was originated by Findlay of Scotland several years ago but, to the best of our knowledge and belief, has never been introduced into this country. Immediately upon its introduction, the Up-To-Date sprang into prominence in Ireland as the most productive variety in the Emerald Isle. The stock seed from which we are offering this variety this spring came direct to us from Ireland three years ago, and we have grown it, watching it very carefully on our seed farms the past two seasons. Last year, in 1909, during a season of prolonged drought without rain at one time for eight weeks, the Up-to-Date made a yield on ordinary farm land without manure or fertilizer of over three hundred bushels per acre. Season of 1910, when we had an abundance of moisture, the yield was equally good, although our entire acreage did not produce quite so heavily as a year ago. However, in both seasons, the Up-to-Date came right straight through from start to finish without a stop; the vines were not affected by drought or by too much moisture and produced magnificent crops. The foliage is a rich, dark green; vines very heavy,—in fact, the strongest, most luxuriant vines of any of the different varieties we have tested in western New York. The foliage has not been affected by blight in any form whatever going through to maturity without disease, and this past season the Up-to-Date has outyielded on the same farm such standard varieties as Carmans, Sir Walter Raleighs, Giants, and the like, **over two to one.**

Professor William Stuart, of the United States Department of Agriculture, says: "Six years' trial of this variety has shown it to be one of the strongest disease-resisting varieties in our collection. It is also one of the best baking potatoes of which we have any knowledge."

We recommend the Irish Up-to-Date as the best late variety for main crop that has come under our observation. It is worthy of a thorough trial everywhere. The tubers are round to oblong in shape, slightly russet or netted skin with flesh of most excellent quality. We have only several hundred barrels to offer this season which we quote at \$5 per barrel, or \$40 for 10 barrels, the largest amount that we will sell to any customer.





## **Quick Lunch**

This new first early Potato was introduced by Burpee "as the most valuable first-early produced since the famous Early Rose; ten days to two weeks earlier, it is a surer and heavier cropper and of better quality." Burpee's description follows:—"The tubers are nearly globular in form, they run the most uniform in size, color and quality of any extra-early Potato. The eyes are shallow with a pinkish cast around each eye, while the smooth brownish white skin is also flaked with rosy crimson, giving a handsome appearance. They are quickly pared for cooking as the skin peels easily. The flesh is pure white and of most excellent quality. The plant is very distinct in growth. The stalks grow stiffly erect and are closely set with deep green foliage; the leaves are broad and flatly spread, the foliage retains its vigor and rich coloring until the plants are full-grown; it has not been affected by blight, rot or any disease. As the Potatoes mature, the vines die down completely to the ground. **Quick Lunch** is more productive than any other first-early Potato and keeps better."

The **Quick Lunch** stock we have to offer is without doubt the handsomest lot of Extra Earlies we have ever owned. They were raised on ideal potato land that was especially adapted to this variety and from pedigree seed. The crop was sprayed a half dozen times with Bordeaux while growing, ripened up evenly and produced a splendid crop of the prettiest, smoothest, brightest, cleanest medium-sized tubers one ever saw.

We know that every person who orders a barrel of **Quick Lunch** of us will be more than pleased.

We have never had enough of the **Quick Lunch** to offer to our customers before; but this season, our planting was more extensive than heretofore, and we have a fair stock on hand. To those farmers who have been accustomed to plant Early Ohios, Six Weeks or Potatoes of that class, for a first-early, we recommend the **Quick Lunch**, as we feel sure they will be well pleased with this new variety. Price: Single bushel, \$2; new double-headed barrel, \$4.

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We are again in the market for seed potatoes and would like you to quote prices for immediate delivery. We have found that seed procured from you gives better results than from any other source.—  
WILLIAM BROWN & SONS, McKee City Coöperative Association, McKee City, N. J., November 19, 1910.





## Dibble's Early Manistee

The **Manistee** was introduced by us several years ago, and in the description written at that time, we pronounced it "the heaviest yielding early Potato since the introduction of the Early Rose." The **Manistee** is a seedling of the Rose, round to oblong in shape, slightly flattened, skin light pink, eyes near the surface, flesh pure white, and table quality that is hard to beat. Vines are luxuriant in growth and have never blighted with us here in western New York.

Of all the Potatoes we have introduced during the twenty years we have been in business, the **Manistee** has given the most general satisfaction.

The **Manistee** is not an extra-early Potato, but ripens with such old standard sorts as Rose, Hebron, and the like, but is a much heavier yielder, many of our customers reporting crops of 300 to 400 bushels per acre. On the Eden Trial Grounds, the **Manistee** yielded 380 bushels per acre, ahead of all the earlies, and this has been its record for three years there in succession. Mr. Lawrence, the proprietor, pronounces it "the best early or intermediate both for production and quality." We recommend the **Manistee** for those soils where Rose gave good results when first introduced. Although the weather of the past growing season was very trying for early Potatoes, we have a splendid crop of **Manistees**, and, while the stock lasts, we quote them as follows: \$3 per barrel, or four barrels (which is enough to plant one acre) for \$11.

The Manistee Potatoes yielded at the rate of 422 bushels per acre.—W. T. MACOUN, Horticulturist, Central Experiment Farm, Ottawa, Dominion of Canada.

We were very well pleased with the potatoes bought of you last year. There was no blight. We particularly liked the Manistees.—CHARLES RIPPEL, Winchester, Tenn., November 17, 1910.

The seed Potatoes I obtained from you this year were very satisfactory. I obtained a yield which I figured at 300 bushels per acre.—H. W. COLLINGWOOD, Editor, The Rural New Yorker, N. Y.

The seed Potatoes I had from you did well, were free from blight and yielded about 275 bushels per acre.—CHESTER HART, Barkhamsted, Conn.

The Manistees are the largest yielders and the nearest approach to bug and blight proof potatoes I have ever grown and I raised 300 varieties last season.—ROBERT C. GREGORY, Granton, N. Y., March 15, 1910.

The Ionias and Manistees are good yielders, and so far have proved to be blight and rust proof while other varieties in the same field have been affected. They yielded the first crop over 100 barrels per acre and the second crop grown on the same fields, planted July 28, will yield at least 50 barrels per acre. You have certainly hit the bull's eye in introducing the Manistee and Ionia, and I expect to plant these two varieties next season for my main crop.—H. R. NOTTINGHAM, Eastville, Va., 1909.



## **Dibble's Irish Cobblers Pedigree Stock**

The **Irish Cobbler** is the best extra-early white Potato now grown. It has taken the place of the old white varieties, such as Freeman, Early Harvest, Early Michigan, Polaris and Early Puritan. It is superior to these old varieties in that it is earlier and much more productive. The tubers are uniformly smooth, round, plump and handsome, creamy white, eyes strong and well developed. The flesh is white and of splendid quality.

Our **Pedigree Stock Cobblers** are grown as follows:—By planting the best and purest seed obtainable last spring and planting it on selected fields, in many cases on new soil, in the cold North; and then and here is the important thing—before the crop was harvested, men went through the fields and removed every single hill that in their opinion was not straight and right in every way. Now the result of all this care in the selection of the seed, soil and hill inspection before harvest is found in the fact that we have put into our warehouses some 18,000 bushels, or over 6,000 barrels, of the choicest Cobblers we have ever seen. Our stock is strictly choice, medium size, containing no coarse, overgrown tubers whatever, bright, clean, and in every way the choicest lot of Cobblers possible to procure.

We have about 100 barrels of choice seconds, tubers about hen's egg size of our Pedigree stock **Irish Cobblers** which we quote at the same price as the firsts. They are equally as valuable for planting as the large size potatoes to those farmers who desire to plant whole or to cut the tubers but once, as the seed will go farther. If you prefer the seconds, be sure and specify in ordering.

We know you will be more than pleased with the stock, as we recommend Dibble's Pedigree stock **Irish Cobblers** as the best early variety now in general cultivation. Owing to having such extensive stocks on hand this season, we make the following low prices, so that there may be a widespread and general distribution of this splendid early Potato. Single barrel, \$3.10 barrels, \$27.50. Order early.

One of my neighbors raised from one barrel of your Irish Cobblers last season, 90 bushels of good Potatoes. My own yielded 450 bushels of merchantable Cobblers from the ten barrels planted.—HOWARD C. PARK, Cashier, Central National Bank of Columbus, Ohio, March 19, 1910.

Cobblers did best for me. I think they gave more than all the other Potatoes put together.—H. H. HIGHT, Raritan, N. J.

The Irish Cobblers were fine in size and yield with us was 225 bushels per acre, free from blight.—MILTON O. MOORE, Washington, Pa.

The Irish Cobblers were O. K.—P. B. CROSBY & SON, Catonsville, Md.

The Irish Cobblers grew very well, some early Ohios not your seed, which we planted alongside, blighted and died.—J. E. DRAKE, Yellow Springs, Ohio.





## **A Page of Pink- and White-Skinned Early Potatoes**

### **EARLY BOVEE**

**Henderson's Early Bovee**, pronounced by the introducers, Peter Henderson & Co., of New York, the earliest Potato of all. We have grown a great many thousand bushels of **Early Bovee** during the last few years and pronounce it one of the most desirable of the early Potatoes introduced in the last decade.

### **NEW QUEEN**

This excellent early Potato comes from the State of Maine. It is a fine, large-sized Potato, resembling the Hebron in shape and color. In addition to being early, it is of fine table quality, and is highly productive. Adapted to all sections. In our opinion, for standard early crop, the **New Queen** is one of the best varieties to grow.

### **EARLY HEBRON**

Standard old sort, with pink and white skin. To those who have grown **Hebron** with good results when first introduced, we believe our new-land **Early Hebrons** will pay them equally well today.

### **CROWN JEWEL**

An early Potato, resembling **Early Bovee** and **Burpee's Extra-Early**. This is a favorite Potato in the vicinity of Philadelphia. We have found it a reliable early Potato to grow.

### **BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY**

An early variety, that is quite popular, being very productive. The tubers are of good size, oblong in form, very smooth and pinkish white in color.

### **EARLY OHIO**

The well-known stand-by for thousands of market-gardeners who desire a first-early Potato for home trade. The **Early Ohio** is round to oblong in shape, extremely early and very desirable. We have a choice stock of **Ohios** on hand, produced on new soil, the best **Ohios** we have ever had in our seedhouse.

### **EARLY SIX-WEEKS**

A Potato of the Ohio class, introduced by a western seedsman, a few years ago, as "the earliest Potato in the world." They are as early as any variety that we have ever tested.

Price-List on page 10.



## **A Page of the Best Early Potatoes of the Rose Type**

### **EARLY NORTHER**

Introduced by one of the leading growers in northern Maine a few years ago as a seedling of the old Early Rose, with the additional claim that it is a week earlier and more prolific. After having grown the **Early Norther** several seasons, we find that the claims made for the **Norther** are not exaggerated. We recommend the **Early Norther** as one of the best, if not the best, of the extremely early Potatoes of the Rose type.

### **CLARK'S NO. 1**

It bears a close resemblance to Early Rose in appearance. It cooks mealy, is of excellent flavor, and is, in every way, a capital variety for either the farmer or market-gardener.

### **EARLY FORTUNE**

A most desirable variety. In form and color it resembles the Early Rose, but in quality it surpasses it. It is a very handsome Potato. The quality, shape and color are of the best. On land that has been thoroughly manured or fertilized, the **Fortune** is one of the best early varieties in cultivation.

### **EARLY ROSE**

The genuine **Early Rose**, the old standard sort among the early red varieties. We have the genuine stock of this variety grown on virgin soil, and recommend it as good as was the stock of the **Early Rose** in the palmy days of its first introduction.

### **HOULTON ROSE**

**Houlton Rose** is an improved strain of the genuine old Early Rose. We have found that **Houlton Rose** gives a uniformly good crop wherever planted.

### **QUICK CROP**

Is an exceedingly handsome Potato of the light-colored Rose type, and a very rapid grower.

### **EARLY THOROUGHbred**

This is a new variety of the Rose family, and is claimed to have many points of excellence. The color is pink, eyes near the surface, oblong to long, well-shaped tubers. very uniform in appearance.

Price-List on Page 10.





## **Page of Standard White Main Crop Potatoes**

### **SIR WALTER RALEIGH**

The **Sir Walter Raleigh** is the best of the late Mr. Carman's introductions. The tubers are round to oblong in shape, very uniform as to size.

### **CARMAN NO. 3**

Another large, round, white, main-crop Potato. The tubers are very large, eyes are shallow, and few in number, and it is an immense yielder of large Potatoes.

### **RURAL NEW-YORKER NO. 2**

A standard, late, round, white variety, originated by the editor of the "Rural New Yorker."

### **GREEN MOUNTAIN**

The **Green Mountain** is a very valuable variety for main crop. It is a fair white-skinned Potato, of flat, oval form, very smooth and handsome, and frequently with russet skin.

### **GOLD COIN**

A late, round white Potato introduced by Burpee several years ago that we have found to be very desirable for main crop.

### **STATE OF MAINE**

A standard, large, late variety, resembling the **Green Mountain** in many respects.

### **TWENTIETH CENTURY**

is an extremely late white Potato that has to recommend it the following characteristics: good yielding qualities, strong, robust foliage that has never blighted with us.

### **IONIA SEEDLING**

is a good, first class round white Potato introduced by us several years ago, intermediate in point of ripening.

### **DIBBLE'S MONEYMAKER**

**Dibble's Moneymaker** is the handsomest and most productive long white potato ever introduced.

Price-List on page 10.



## **1911 Price-List of Seed Potatoes**

The New York Produce News states editorially—"There are no better seed Potatoes than those grown in the state of New York." While we had a fair crop of Potatoes as a whole for the United States, early Potatoes in many sections were a complete failure. Western New York was favored with a splendid growing season, and our warehouses are filled with Potatoes of most excellent quality. We advise all of our customers to order Potatoes promptly—early, intermediate and late varieties—while we have full stocks in store, as there is sure to be a much heavier demand this season than ever before, owing to the short crop in many sections. We are having a very heavy demand, and at the time of writing this Catalog, have already sold thousands of barrels to our old customers for next spring's planting.

Quotations are made for immediate acceptance and are subject to change without notice as the markets advance. **New, double-headed barrels and sacks free.** Make out your order today and send it to us. We will hold the stock for you till safe to ship or as you may direct.

	Per bbl.	10 bbls. per bbl.
1. Irish "Up-to-Date." New, late, round white.....	\$5 00	\$4 00
2. Quick Lunch. New, extra-early.....	4 00	
3. Irish Cobbler. Round, white; very early.....	3 00	2 75
4. Early Ohio. Standard extra-early sort.....	3 50	3 25
5. Early Six Weeks. Extra-early; earliest crop of all.....	3 50	3 25
6. Dibble's Manistee. New; best cropper.....	3 00	2 75
7. Dibble's Ionia Seedling. Good main crop.....	3 00	2 75
8. Dibble's Moneymaker. Long; late; white.....	3 00	2 75
9. Dibble's Twentieth Century. Late; white.....	3 00	2 75
10. Burpee's Extra-Early. Good, first-early sort.....	3 00	2 75
11. Henderson's Early Bovee. Early Hebron type.....	3 00	2 75
12. Crown Jewel. First-early of the Hebron type.....	3 00	2 75
13. Northern Beauty. Early red; good yielder.....	3 00	2 75
14. Quick Crop. New; early, rapid grower.....	3 00	2 75
15. Early Thoroughbred. Early Rose type.....	3 00	2 75
16. New Queen. Desirable early of Hebron type.....	3 00	2 75
17. Early Norther. Choice Early Rose type.....	3 00	2 75
18. Early Hebron. Early; pink and white skin.....	3 00	2 75
19. Clark's No 1. Good early Rose sort.....	3 00	2 75
20. Early Fortune. Early; good Potato; Rose color.....	3 00	2 75
21. Houlton Rose. Improved strain Early Rose.....	3 00	2 75
22. Old Early Rose. Standard sort; very reliable.....	3 00	2 75
23. Sir Walter Raleigh. Late; round white.....	2 50	2 25
24. Carman No 3. Late; round white.....	2 50	2 25
25. Rural New Yorker. Standard; round, white.....	2 50	2 25
26. State of Maine. Standard; oblong, white.....	2 50	2 25
27. Green Mountain. Round to oblong, white.....	2 50	2 25
28. Delaware. Late; white, round to oblong.....	2 50	2 25
29. Gold Coin. Late; round, white.....	2 50	2 25
30. Burpee's Great Divide. Long, white; late.....	3 25	3 00
31. American Giant. Long, white; good yielder.....	3 25	3 00

If ordered in sacks, 15 cts. less per package on all varieties. Special prices on club or neighborhood orders of 100 barrels. Special prices on car lots delivered to your station. Write for them today.

### **NOW JUST A FINAL WORD**

We wish to impress on our customers the fact that we try to give them the best of advice in regard to seed buying at all times, and our advice to you **right now** is that if you want Seed Potatoes for next spring's planting, you should place your order for them **today**—this minute, before you lay this catalog down.

Prices are sure to advance as planting time approaches, but, if you buy now, you may rest assured of having the best Seed Potatoes money can buy at the very lowest prices of the year. **WRITE US, RIGHT NOW.**

## **Clover and Grass Seed, 1910 Crop**

New grain bags, 20 cts. each

We pay particular attention to the selection of high-grade, extra-clean Clover, Alfalfa, Timothy and other grass seeds. We use on our 1,600-acre seed farms the very best seeds obtainable, regardless of cost, and this is the only grade we sell to our customers. Purchasers may rely upon us that we have put forth our best efforts to furnish Grass and Clover seeds free from noxious weeds. Our custom of furnishing but one grade, and that the very best obtainable, has built up for us a heavy trade in this important class of farm seeds.

Our D. B. brand, which means "Dibble's Best," is unexcelled by any other on the market, and better seed than our D. B. brand cannot be purchased at any price. Our Clover and Grass seeds are carefully selected, are re-cleaned and graded by the best mills known to the trade, and are shipped direct to our customers from the Clover seed headquarters of America. The 1910 crop of Clover seed was a short one, one of the smallest in the last ten years, and prices will therefore run somewhat higher than those of last season. Timothy is in small supply. We do not quote any prices, as prices fluctuate more or less in this class of seeds, but if you will send us a list of what you want, we will furnish you samples and the very lowest quotations prevailing at the time of receiving your letter.

### **Red Medium Clover**

This common Red Clover is largely grown throughout the country, and in many sections instead of being called Medium, it is called June Clover, as it is earlier than the Mammoth which ripens a little later.

### **Mammoth Sapling, or English Clover**

Compared with the common Red Clover, its flower, foliage and stems are of darker color. Is valuable when grown with other grasses for mixed hay.

### **Alsike, or Swedish**

The most hardy of all Clovers; perennial. On rich, moist soils it yields an enormous quantity of hay or pasturage, but its greatest value is for sowing with other clovers and grasses.

### **White Dutch Clover**

This thrives in almost every soil and climate, succeeding equally well on heavy, moist land and thin, dry hillsides. Valuable in pasture mixtures.

### **Alfalfa**

The oldest branch of the Clover family. It is a wonderful forage, fertilizer and hay plant and the greatest cropper of all the clover and grass varieties, producing three or four crops in a season. After once established, it is very hardy, sinking its roots deeply after moisture and nourishment, and the severest drought or coldest weather will not kill it. Well-cured Alfalfa hay has an analysis practically the same as wheat bran and is quite as valuable for feeding purposes. With ordinary culture, from three to five tons per acre can be grown annually. We are headquarters for D. B. fancy brand northern-grown Alfalfa.

### **Orchard Grass**

This is one of the most desirable pasture grasses for stock and also for producing large crops of hay.

The Timothy and Clover seed was clean and I have a good stand. The Alfalfa seed was the best I have ever seen. SAM'L A. MOSES, Smithfield, Pa.

I shall need a little Clover seed and desire to purchase it from you, as the seed I had from you last year was the best ever.—WILLIAM M. ACKERSON, Hazlet, N. J., March 2, 1910.

The Clover and Grass seed I bought of you last spring was extra nice; I never used better seed.

### **Timothy**

This is the most valuable of all the grasses for hay, especially in the North. Thrives best on moist, loamy soils of medium tenacity.

### **Meadow Fescue**

This is one of the standard European grasses, an excellent pasture grass as it yields a large amount of early and late feed.

### **Kentucky Blue Grass**

#### **FANCY CLEANED**

Kentucky Blue Grass is the most nutritious, hardy and valuable of all northern grasses for pasture.

### **Red Top**

This is a good permanent grass, well adapted to wet lands.

### **Hungarian Grass**

A valuable forage grass, both because of its foliage and nutritious seeds.

### **Common Millet**

An excellent early forage grass, with long, broad leaves and nutritious grain.

### **Improved German Millet**

This is not so early as the common Millet, but yields much larger crop.

### **Dwarf Essex Rape**

Largely grown as a fattening food for sheep in the autumn; it is also especially desirable for pasturing hogs during the summer months.

### **Canada Field Peas**

Field Peas deserve more attention for fodder than they now receive. They are fully equal to corn on some soils and about six weeks earlier.

It was as perfect as seed can be.—A. E. CHURCHILL, Brookfield, Vt.

I sent your sample of Alfalfa seed to Geneva for testing and they pronounced it good.—VERNE MARKHAM, S. Dayton, N. Y., April 26, 1910.

The Clover and Timothy seed were all you guaranteed them to be, clean of foul weeds, and all that any one could expect.—JOSEPH WREN, Sabula, Pa., November 18, 1910.



## **Dibble's Twentieth Century Oats**

We introduced this variety seven years ago, the seed coming to us from northern Canada, and since then have tested all the leading new varieties alongside on our own farms. Some sorts, such as the Lincoln, Sensation, Banner, Golden Harvest and Swedish Select, and the like, have given good results for a year or two, but seem to have run out. On the other hand, the **Twentieth Century** seems to be fully as productive as when we first grew it half a dozen years ago.



On our own farms, the **Twentieth Century Oats** have given us an average yield of about 60 bushels per acre for the past seven years, growing an average of from 100 to 150 acres annually, and this yield is **more than twice** the average for the United States during the same period. Several crops on large fields have run over 80 bushels per acre, and a neighbor, from a measured four-acre field, threshed and delivered to our Seed House 440 bushels.

Crop of 1910 was a good one, giving us as an average crop of splendid quality grain, weighing 34 to 38 pounds per bushel. Our sales of **Twentieth Century Oats**, a year ago, exceeded 30,000 bushels, and we expect the demand to be fully as good this season; we are thankful that we can assure our customers of Seed Oats that will give them splendid results.

The **Twentieth Century** is one of the earliest varieties grown, ripening fully ten days before other varieties that we have tested. It grows tall, stiff straw, 4 to 5 feet high, free from rust, topped off with long, branching heads 12 inches in length, filled with plump, thin-hulled, white grains. Please note the handful of heads illustrated in the photograph, showing that they average fully a foot in length.

Our Oat fields are hand-weeded while growing, the grain re-cleaned by the best mills known, and you will find our Oats a choice sample for seed purposes. Price, single bushel, \$1; 2½ bus. bag. (enough to seed one acre), \$2; 10 bus. \$7.50, 100 bus., \$65. Sacks free.

The **Twentieth Century Oats** were fine; they yielded just two bushels where other Oats yielded one in the same field.—C. A. BOYD, Sagerstown, Pa., November 19, 1910.

From four acres of land, we threshed this season 440 bushels of Oats, thresher's measure.—LEVI SIMONS, Livingston County, N. Y.

## Canada Cluster Oats

Of all the new varieties of heavy, large-grained oats that have come under our observation during the last few years, all have been weighed in the balance and found wanting except the variety named at the head of this page. It is one of our most important precepts not to offer anything to our customers until we have given it a thorough test in field culture on our own farms. Carrying this precept into practice, we have tested the various kinds of heavy oats such as the Improved Swedish, Wisconsin No. 4, Swedish Select, so-called "regenerated" oats, etc., and have, in all cases, found them lacking in certain respects. Two or three years ago, however, a new variety of white oats with very large, heavy, plump berries, in many cases as large as barley, was introduced into this section from northern Canada, way up near the Hudson Bay country. We have watched these oats carefully and this last season grew several thousand bushels of them on our own farms. The Canada Cluster is a very quick-growing variety, extremely early maturing, and grows, with us, rather short straw as compared with our Twentieth Century. The heads are what are commonly known as "side oats," that is, the grain grows on one side of the head; the kernels are large, plump and, under favorable conditions, very heavy, weighing 40 to 44 pounds per measured bushel. Our crop of Canada Cluster this year was an extremely good one considering the season, and the grain will weigh from 34 to 40 pounds per measured bushel. To those of our customers who are in want of such an oat, we recommend the Canada Cluster, as we have found it very superior to the other similar varieties, and as all of this seed we are offering this season was raised on our own seed farms, you can be assured of getting stock that is thoroughly re-cleaned and free from injurious weed seeds. Send for samples.

Price: single bushel, \$1; 2½ bushel bag, \$2.25; 10 bus. \$8; 100 bus. \$75; 50 bus. at the 100 bus. price. New bags and sacks free.

## Canadian Six-Rowed Barley

This variety is not new, for we have been growing **Canadian Six-Rowed Barley** on the Dibble farms for over a score of years. It has made yields of as high as 57 bushels per acre on fields of from 20 to 40 acres, with average yields of from 40 to 54 bushels for twenty years. During that time we have tested the new barleys as they have come out, such as Manshury, Oderbrucker,

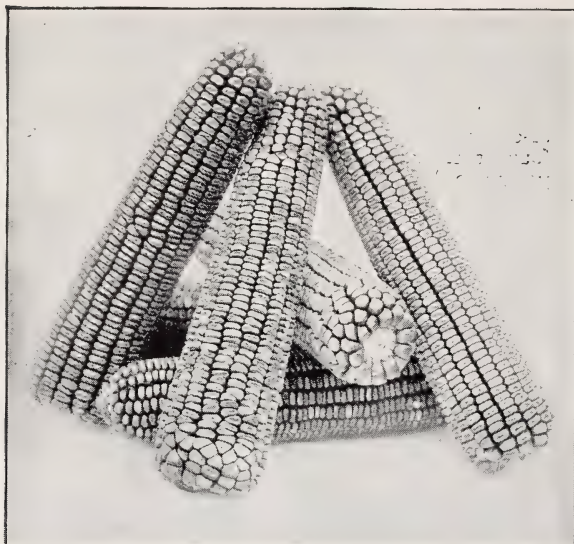
Beardless, etc., and have found in each and every case the **Canadian Six-Rowed Improved** by selection has outyielded the other varieties mentioned. The **Canadian Six-Rowed Barley** is with us here in western New York, absolutely the earliest variety grown, and we recommend it either for crop or as a nurse crop for Alfalfa. We have used this Barley in seeding down to alfalfa—from three-fourths to one bushel of seed per acre—and get yields from this small amount of from 28 to 33 bushels. It makes ideal pig feed. There is nothing one can plant for pigs as a grain crop from which you can get such quick results. Price single bushel, \$1.25; 2 bushels, which is enough to sow one acre, for \$2.25; 10 bushels, \$10. New bags free.





## **Dibble's Eighty-Day Yellow Dent**

Was introduced by us four years ago as the **earliest** large Dent Corn in the world, and five years' cultivation of it on our own farms here in western New York has served to strengthen us in the statement made at the time of introduction. We have tested many



of the new varieties offered by other seedsmen, but have found nothing to compare with our **Eighty-Day** in point of earliness, yield and desirability in every way. Planting as we do from the 15th of May to the 1st of June, the **Eighty-Day Dent** is ready to harvest around September 1. We have received reports from growers who claim that this variety matures in less than eighty days, but it takes longer than that to thoroughly mature with us here in western New York.

The stalks average 8 to 12 feet in height, splendid heavy, glossy green foliage, and it is a prodigious cropper. The ears run from 8 to 10 inches in length, with 16 to 20 rows set closely

on a small red cob. The fields from which our seed was saved averaged better than 50 bushels of shelled corn per acre, sound, hard and yellow as gold.

Our seed is from carefully hand-picked, selected ears, with the tip and butt kernels taken off and thoroughly graded and re-cleaned. Owing to its earliness, the seed of the **Eighty-Day Dent** is usually of better germination than that of any other variety. Our **Eighty-Day Dent** seed is splendid, the best you could possibly ask for, testing 95 to 98 per cent germination, and we have had letters from a number of our customers claiming that every kernel grew. This is the crop for the northern farmer, where seasons are short and the crop is more or less uncertain.

We recommend this variety for those farmers living in the northern states who desire the **best Early Dent Corn for ensilage**. Liberal samples free. Write for them and test this Corn yourself.

Price, 1 bushel, \$2, 2-bushel bags \$3, 10 bushels \$14. Bags free.

Last spring I purchased of you 12 bushels of **Eighty-Day Dent** which gave perfect satisfaction, the germination was practically perfect, the crop averaged from 7 to 12 feet in height and was heavily eared, and in fact, the best ensilage corn I ever raised. The leaves are very large and numerous and many stalks produced two large ears that matured in less than 100 days. I consider it the best variety for first-class ensilage.—FRANK J. JONES, Sauquoit, N. Y., November 18, 1910.

The seed Corn we had from you last spring was unusually good, I never planted better; we raised a fine crop and we estimate the tonnage about 900 tons. Will want more from you next season as your varieties seem adapted to our soil.—W. A. FITCH, Manager, Clifton Springs Sanitarium Farm.

The **Eighty-Day Dent** made a growth of eleven and a half feet in height; we put it all in the silo. The germination was good.—R. E. SCHNEIDER, Grand Marias, Mich., November 19, 1910.

I must say I had the best crop of corn from your seed this season I ever had,—more than I could possibly crib. The stalks were from 10 to 13 feet tall; the yield was 116 bushels per acre.—W. CHESTER ANGLE, Stroudsburg, Pa., November 21, 1910.

Your **Eighty-Day Dent Corn** is the best Corn I ever saw. The germination was perfect; stalks 10 to 14 feet high. It will husk close to 150 bushels to the acre. It has no equal.—CHARLES STEIN, Seneca Co., N. Y., November 18, 1910.

The Corn did well, came up good and eared well. About two weeks earlier than other kinds.—HENRY McGRATH, Woodsville, N. Y.

I liked your **Eighty-Day Dent Corn**. It was of good quality and germinated 98 per cent. The stalks were 12 feet in height. Planted May 28, it was ripe the first week in September. We are well satisfied with your seed.—M. E. GRIFFITH, Litchfield county, Conn.

## Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn

Dibble's Mammoth Eight-Rowed Early Yellow Flint Corn is the best Flint Corn, either for crop or silo, in cultivation. It is the largest variety grown. The stalks average 8 to 10 feet in height, each stalk carrying from one to three ears. It leaves profusely, nearly to the ground, and both the leaves and stalks are sweet. The ears average from 10 to 18 inches in length.

It is early, being fully ripe and ready for the knife within 100 days from date of planting. Our stock is grown from carefully selected seed. The seed we furnish our customers is from hand-picked ears 10 inches in length or over, thoroughly dry and cured before selling.

There has been a steady annual increase in the demand for our Mammoth Yellow Flint from the time of its introduction years ago, and although we make strenuous

efforts, from year to year, by increasing the acreage planted to keep the production up to the demand, still we have been unable to do it and for the last half dozen years, we have been sold out long before planting time each spring. Therefore let us have your orders early.

Price, 1 bushel (enough to plant 4 acres), \$2; 2-bushel bag, \$3; 10 bushels, \$14. Bags free. Send for samples; test it for yourself.

The Corn was especially good; had a fine growth from 9 to 10 feet tall, heavily eared. Several have asked me to order seed for them from you another year.—R. L. ALDRICH, Canton, N. Y., November 19, 1910.

Your Mammoth Flint Corn did very well with us.—G. T. BAKER, Providence, R. I., November 17, 1910.

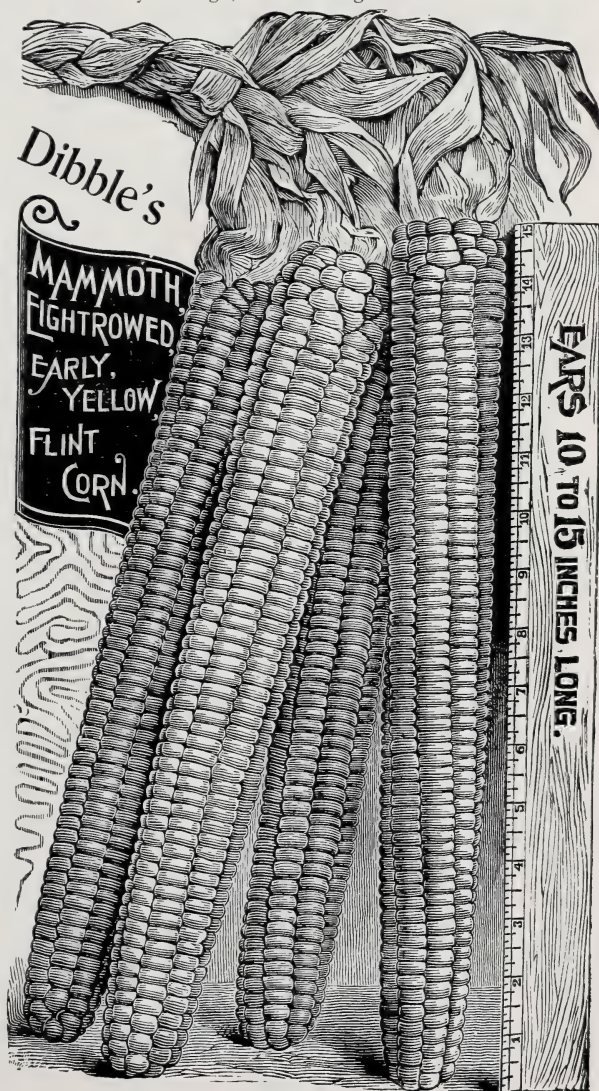
I planted four acres of that Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn and harvested 500 bushels.—C. W. HOAG, Keesville, Essex county, N. Y.

Have you any more Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn? The seed you sent us was fine. If you have any left, drop me a line at once.—PERRY F. BUCK, Boonville, N. Y., May 14, 1910.

Ninety-eight per cent of the Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn germinated. Ears 12 to 15 inches in length, and yielded 51 bushels of shelled Corn to the acre.—C. H. VAN BLARCOM, Sussex county, N. J.

My crop of Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn was simply splendid, it grew 12 to 14 feet in height and the ears were from 10 to 18 inches in length.—WILLIAM H. KNOX, Strafford county, N. H.

Your Mammoth Yellow Flint Corn planted June 1, harvested the first of September. Height of stalks averaged 9 feet, 10 inches; yield 200 bushels per acre.—G. W. ADAMS, Middlesex Co., Mass.





## **Dibble's Improved Early Leaming Corn**

It is from ten days to two weeks earlier than the standard Leaming commonly sold, and is the best dent variety for the farmers and dairymen of the middle and eastern states, either for crop or silo.

Our **Improved Leaming** matures here in western New York in from 100 to 110 days of good corn weather. The stalks average 10 to 15 feet in height, and the ears are large and numerous. We have raised on our own farms 30 tons of ensilage to the acre, time and time again putting into the silos Corn that would have husked 100 to 125 bushels of well-ripened ears.

Good Seed Corn is at a premium again this year, and our **Improved Leaming** is strictly high grade, pedigree seed saved from carefully selected, hand-picked ears, and of the most excellent germination, testing with us 95 per cent. Do not make the mistake of using Corn of poor, doubtful germination, thereby endangering your Corn crop, when you can buy the very best Seed Corn to be had of us at an expense of not over 50c. per acre.

Price, 1 bushel.  
\$2; 2-bushel bag,  
\$3; 10 bushels,  
\$12.50. Bags free.

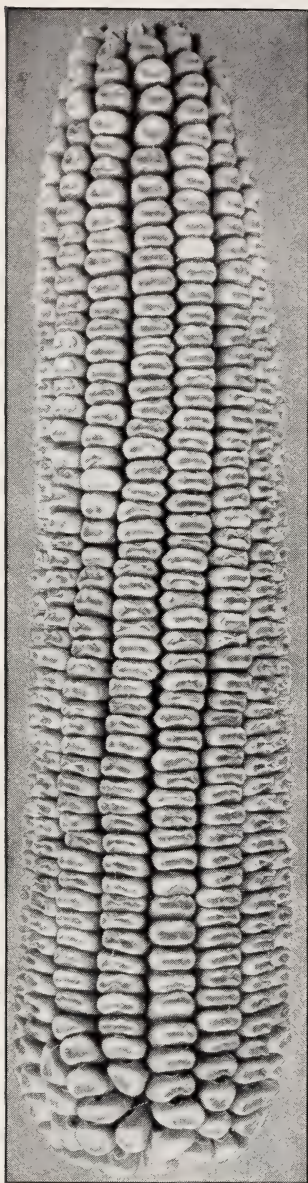
The **Improved Leaming** grew very large and well eared. Am. sending photographs. The Corn stood 12 to 13 feet in height. The ears of Corn shown in the small photograph are fully 8 feet from the ground.—WM. P. BROOKS, Alleghany county, N. Y.

We planted your large flint corn for husking. Germination extra good, stalks grew 10 feet tall and were well eared. For ensilage, your **Leaming** does the best for us. We like your seeds

well.—H. J. COUPER, Littletton, Mass., November 17, 1910.

The **Leaming** we had from you last year grew from 18 to 20 feet high and was a tremendous crop.—LUCIUS BALDIN & SON, Cayuga, N. Y., May 9, 1910.

The **Improved Leaming** Corn purchased from you last spring was fine and I am much pleased with the results. Your **Improved Leaming** matures from 10 days to two weeks earlier and produces fully one-third more ears than other varieties raised in this section. The stalks averaged 12 to 13 feet in height.—H. G. SEELEY, Walden, N. Y.



Wm. P. Brooks (see testimonial)

# Dibble's Mammoth White Ensilage Corn

grows the tallest and is the most leafy of any of the big varieties of ensilage corn with which we are acquainted, and is the only big late rank-growing corn that is, in our opinion, adapted to the northern states. It is a matter of fact that St. Charles, Red Cob, and Eureka are all of southern origin and are adapted to and attain their greatest development in the southern states or states of the middle South such as Virginia, while **Dibble's Mammoth White Dent** is a Corn of **northern** origin originating in latitude 41 degrees which is the latitude of New York city. Our seed stock of this variety is grown in latitude 41°, and during the past five years, it has thoroughly matured and ripened slightly farther north. Northern-grown Seed Corn is the kind to plant.

**Dibble's Mammoth White Dent** is the largest, strongest-growing corn, whether flint or dent, that is adapted to the northern or central states. This variety is a very hardy, extremely rapid grower and under favorable conditions, with first-class culture, will produce crops 14 to 17 feet in height.

The ears are the largest and most perfect we have ever seen. The ear illustrated was 11 inches long, 9½ inches in circumference, with 24 rows and small cob, in fact, **real seed Corn**.

We do not recommend this variety for crop for husking in the North or north central states, nor do we recommend it for ensilage for those farmers who desire to put into their silos corn rich in mature ears, but we do earnestly recommend it as the variety par excellence to all of our customers who desire to grow the largest amount of Corn foliage per acre that is possible to produce from the soil. To such farmers and for such purposes, **Dibble's Mammoth White Dent** is the corn to plant. Our seed is of superior quality,

all northern grown, hardy, full of vitality and shows germination test with us better than 95 per cent. Samples free. Test them yourself. Price single bushel, \$2; 2-bushel bag, \$3.50; 10 bushels, \$15. New bags free.

Dibble says:—"This is the one and only **Big Dent** for farmers of New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and the northeastern states to plant if they desire to raise the biggest growth of ensilage Corn in their neighborhood, and the seed will cost you only 50 cts. to 75 cts. per acre. Plant it alongside of any other ensilage Corn from anywhere, and let me know the result in the fall. My word for it, you will be more than satisfied. Try it and be convinced."







# DIBBLE'S 20TH CENTURY OATS



We question if there has been a new variety of oats introduced in the past ten years that has given such general satisfaction wherever tested as have Dibble's Twentieth Century. Below we print a few testimonials from farmers who have grown Dibble's seed oats on their own farms and who have found by actual experience that they are all that we claimed and more. In the purchase of seed oats, it is of the highest importance that they should be free from injurious weed seeds and thoroughly recleaned. Although our plant has been equipped for years with the best machines known to the trade, we have just installed, this past season, a specially constructed recleaner designed especially for seedsmen's use for recleaning oats, barley, wheat and seed corn. The screening surface of this mammoth machine is  $3\frac{1}{2}$  by 15 feet and all of our seed grains go over this specially designed recleaner.

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In regard to the Twentieth Century oats, we are pleased to say that they yielded 55 bushels per acre by weight. On a large field of about 16 acres, our own Clydesdale variety yielded 27 bushels per acre and the yield of Clydesdale oats on our best Clydesdale field comparable to the yield of the Twentieth Century was 43-2-3 bushels per acre. We are very much pleased with the Twentieth Century oats and expect to plant largely of them next year.—EDWARD R. MINNS, New York State College of Agriculture, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

The Twentieth Century oats which I purchased from you last spring were entirely satisfactory. The percentage of germination was very high, and they grew a tall, stiff straw and yielded 60 bushels per acre. They cannot be beat.—E. D. ROGERS, Burlington Co., N. J.

I sowed them on precisely one acre of ground by the land-measure on my drill. That acre produced nearly 100 bushels of fine oats.—FRANK WARNER, Livingston Co., N. Y.

The Twentieth Century oats proved satisfactory, yielding 55 bushels per acre, other oats in this vicinity yielded from 20 to 35 bushels per acre.—CHARLES TRUMP, Lebanon Co., Pa.

The oats raised from your seed weighed 38 pounds per bushel and were a good deal better than the average in this section.—G. F. KERR, Lawrence Co., Pa.

The Twentieth Century oats did fine. Threshed 68 bags from 2 bushels sowing. Average weight about 80 pounds to the bag.—W. H. SWARTS, Allegheny Co., N. Y.



Some seedsmen claim that their seed oats produce yields of 200 bushels per acre. Ours are not that kind, but scores of our customers have written us that Dibble's Seed Oats were thoroughly re-cleaned and gave them yields of 20 to 50 per cent more oats than other varieties grown alongside or on adjoining farms.

The yield from your Twentieth Century oats was 60 bushels per acre, soil is clay loam, oats were sown broadcast, no fertilizer. Average yield of other varieties 45 bushels.—C. J. MILZ, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

The oats stood 5 feet high. In regard to yield, it was double that of the other kinds we have here. Weighs nearly 40 pounds to the bushel.—ALLISON L. HEILE, Allegheny Co., Pa.

Seed oats received from you yielded 53½ bushels per acre, the germination was fine and they were free from rust. Oats received from other seed houses yielded 41 bushels per acre, straw little better than half as good as yours. Home grown seed yielded about 38 bushels per acre.—CHARLES HOYT, Canajoharie, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—The oats that I purchased from you last season gave 70 measured bushels to the acre, very heavy grain, weighing 38 pounds to the bushel.—A. YEOMANS, Wayne Co., N. Y.

Dear Sir:—The oats generally through this section were blown down and badly twisted. Mine from your seed stood up better than any in our community, straw fair length, heads large and well filled. The seed bought of you was very satisfactory.—CHARLES C. BOW, Canton, Ohio.

The oats I bought of you were fine, they stood up excellently and have been complimented by our best farmers.—J. BANKS MOBLEY, Adamstown, Md.

Dear Sir:—The Twentieth Century oats I bought of you last spring came up good, stood up well and in instances where they were sown beside other kinds, yielded from 25 to 50 per cent better than others. Very many of the oats bought in this vicinity did not germinate at all.—C. D. JAMES, Danielson, Conn.

The seed oats I purchased from you yielded satisfactorily, the straw was over five feet high and stood up well.—G. E. LUCE, Riverhead, L. I., N. Y.

Your oats outgrew other seed purchased in local market and I am well pleased with them and will be in the market for more next spring.—W. J. MERRITT, Westford, Mass.

The oats stood up well and made a satisfactory yield. The yield from your oats was 15 bushels per acre better than the average crop in the vicinity of my farm.—CHARLES D. THOMAS, Herkimer, N. Y.

Can I get some seed wheat from you? If I could get some that would do me as much good as the 29th Century oats did, I would be well pleased.—FRANK E. LOWE, Hudson, Mich.

Dear Sir:—The oat crop around here was very good. The seed oats I bought of you yielded 75 bushels per acre.—ROBERT HUMPHREYS, Lanes Mills, Pa.

The Twentieth Century oats did very well. I had the finest field of oats grown anywhere in this community. Season was very unfavorable.—W. S. FEW, Mineral Co., W. Va.

The oats I bought from you, Twentieth Century, stood up to my chin and yielded 60 bushels per acre.—B. F. HULSE, Mercer Co., N. J.

The Twentieth Century oats yielded 60 bushels per acre with very stiff straw, other oats yielded from 40 to 50 bushels.—H. R. BLISS, Cortland Co., N. Y.

Twentieth Century oats purchased from you last spring turned out fine. Oats would not grow on this farm until I tried the above kind which yielded 60 bushels per acre and weighed 36 to 38 pounds per bushel, this was the best yield of oats in this county.—HOWARD D. EVERSOLE, Hunterdon Co., N. J.

The Twentieth Century oats did well for the chance they had. Were not sown until the 15th of May and the yield was 64 bushels per acre. Straw 4 feet long, standing up well, and weighed 35 lbs. to the bushel.—M. S. GRAHAM, Washington Co., N. Y.

The seed oats which I purchased of you yielded 50 bushels to the acre, straw 4 feet high and stood up well, it was an unusually dry season.—GEORGE H. MILLER, Bridge Hampton, N. Y.

The oat crop in general was good in our section, have tested your oats with two other kinds and your oats made two bushels to one of our own seed. Dibble's seed oats are all right.—J. HARRY REAMER, Chambersburg, Pa.

The seed oats purchased from you gave me the best crop of oats I ever had, while the oat crop in general around here was light. The oats weighed 40 pounds per bushel.—A. T. EDDY, Niagara Co., N. Y.

Oats germinated well, yield about twice as much as home-grown seed. We had drought from early spring until late in August. I am well satisfied.—FRANK A. TABER, Broome Co., N. Y.

The Twentieth Century oats which I bought of you last spring grew a good straw over 5 feet tall and standing up well. The weight was 34 pounds to the bushel.—A. N. GRUVER, Lehigh Co., Pa.

Dear Sir:—The oat crop in this section as a rule was rusty and short. The oats we had from you were nice, stood up well, were plump and heavy and no rust.—W. H. BENSTEAD, Waterville, N. Y.

The Twentieth Century oats I received from you last spring germinated well, and stood up good with well-filled heads and grain holding out weight. I consider them the very best oats for any farmer to raise.—THEODORE ISBISTER, Columbia Co., N. Y.

The Twentieth Century oats yielded 10 bushels per acre more than other varieties grown on the same soil.—W. M. LOWRY, Armstrong Co., Pa.

Dear Sir:—The oats purchased of you yielded well and stood up well, very free from lodging.—JAMES ROOP, Titusville, Pa.

The seed oats I got from you stood up well while all others fell down badly.—LYMAN DISBROW, Dundee, N. Y.

The oats arrived in good condition and were very free from foul seeds.—WILSON BROS., Oswego Co., N. Y.

My oats were the admiration of all who saw them. They stood fully 4 feet tall, and the heads would measure 12 inches in length.—WM. D. KLEE, Anne Arundel Co., Md.

The seed oats I had from you gave me good results. I had 50 per cent more oats from your seed than I have raised for the last five years on the same amount of land.—FRANK RODENLEISER, Weedsport, N. Y.



## DIBBLE'S ALFALFA, CLOVER AND GRASS SEEDS

### KEEP THE HAY LOADER BUSY.

If you want to grow the biggest possible crops of hay possible to produce on your farm, sow the D. B. (Dibble's Best) brand of seeds. Our D. B. brand of Alfalfa, clover and grass seed is the highest grade possible to procure, nothing better can be purchased no matter how high the price, and our D. B. brand we sell direct to our customers at as low prices as the ordinary seed of commerce. We raise marvelous crops of hay on our own seed farms, cutting each year an average of from 250 to 300 acres, and we supply our customers the same high grade seed that we use ourselves. We have such absolute faith in the superior quality of our D. B. Alfalfa, clover and grass seeds that we guarantee them to please you. Send us your orders, and upon arrival test them any way you choose, send them to your State Experiment Station if you wish, and if you are not satisfied that they are the best seeds you ever had on your farm, return them to us at once, mailing us bill lading and we will refund your money and pay the freight both ways.

We respectfully call your attention to testimonial letters from a few of our satisfied customers.

The seed we bought of you was very satisfactory. I have not discovered a weed seed in the whole field.—ELMER J. TEATOR, Red Hook, N. Y.

The clover seed I bought from you did well. I have the best catch I ever saw without any exception.—D. H. WEDDELL, McKeesport, Pa.

Dear Sir:—I was very well pleased with the alfalfa seed bought of you. It could not have been better.—E. H. ORBER, Milford, Pa.

The alfalfa seed was all you claimed for it, it was A No. 1.—H. F. WILSON, Monessen, Pa.

The clover and timothy seed, D. B. brand, were very satisfactory. The seed was thoroughly re-cleaned. Germination was good.—P. F. ALLSHOUSE, Reynoldsville, Pa.

The clover and timothy seed I bought from you last spring did fine. I shall want more from you next spring.—F. A. BLACHARD, Cortland, N. Y.

The clover and grass seed I had from you were O. K., I never had better seed. The seed was entirely clean of filth and the best I have sown in twenty years.—F. A. WAGENER, Berea, W. Va.

The clover and timothy were very good; shall order more from you when I need it. We found it clean as you claimed.—JOHN ANDERSON, Sterling Run, Pa.

Seed at hand. Certainly good, stock. Think it the finest that has come into Somerton this year.—D. W. BENNETT, Somerton, Pa.

I am very much pleased with the clover and timothy seed I had from you last spring, it was thoroughly cleaned and every seed grew.—FRED QUIGLEY, Ovid Center, N. Y.

The alfalfa seed was 99 per cent. pure, germinated well and gave us a good seeding. Your seeds were very satisfactory indeed.—HENRY J. GARRETSON, Bound Brook, N. J.



## The old adage—"The best is the cheapest"—is doubly true when applied to clover and grass seeds.

Dear Sir:—The alfalfa seed which I had from you was certainly every seed plump, found it to be up to your claims in every respect. I planted two acres May 11th. September 5th, when I had to cut it, it was about 2 feet high. Two of my neighbors purchased seed from a local dealer and their seeding was very poor.—S. E. BRYAN, Auburn, N. Y.

I am well satisfied with the clover and grass seed, they were thoroughly re-cleaned and we have an excellent seeding.—GUY S. WOOSTER, Middlebury, Vt.

Send me price on clover and timothy. The seed I had from you last year was the best I ever sowed.—BYRON BARTON, Olive Bridge, N. Y.

Sowed the alfalfa seed May 24th, got a fine catch, clipped in July and cut for crop Sept. 28th, Everything O. K.—F. K. McMANN, E. Bloomfield, N. Y.

The clover seed purchased from you was very satisfactory in every way. I have a splendid stand although it was a very dry summer.—JOHN DEWITT, Hersey, Mich.

Please send samples of D. B. clover and timothy. I purchased some alfalfa of you last year and I am more than pleased with the quality and results.—L. J. ROUNDS, Union, N. Y.

The clover and timothy from you were A No. 1, my seeding could not be better.—JOHN WITHEY, Skaneateles, N. Y.

The seed was as fine as could be. I had a fine crop of clover from last year's seeding, the germination was good. I am more than pleased with the D. B. brand.—TUNIS WHITEBECK, Selkirk, N. Y.

The clover and timothy seed that I purchased from you last spring were all that you claimed for them.—J. J. BLEWETT, Orson, Pa.

The clover and timothy seed was all you claimed, the seeds were free from weed seeds and the germination was excellent.—L. D. LAMBERT, Dry Fork, W. Va.

The clover and grass seed were of most excellent quality. A number one and far ahead of seed carried by local dealers, best stand of clover in ten years.—H. A. SHAW, Ballston Spa, N. Y.

The clover and grass seed purchased from you were the best that money could buy. It was free from foul weed seeds which cannot be said of that purchased from local dealers. We have a thick even stand which is just lovely to look at.—MOSES J. SAXE, Palenville, N. Y.

The grass and clover seed purchased from you were of splendid quality, had the best stand that I have had in ten years.—CHARLES C. STORM, Candor, N. Y.

The grass seed was very satisfactory, the germination was good and the seed was very clean, the stand is unusually good.—WILLIAM VAN ORDER, Catskill, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—The clover seed gave good satisfaction; the quality was better than any other seed I saw last spring.—BENJAMIN HERR, De Haven, Pa.

Dear Sir:—Your timothy seed was good and gave excellent satisfaction; quality much better than that carried in stock by our local dealers.—CLARK BECK, Westover, Pa.

Dear Sir:—The grass seed was very nice in every way and came up better than any seed I ever sowed before.—ROBERT R. DAVIS, Watkins, N. Y.

Please send samples of your clover and timothy. The seed you sent me last spring was O. K. The whole twenty-five acres were fine.—WILLIAM H. WARD, Glen, N. Y.

I never had such a fine seeding of clover as I had last year from your seed.—C. W. SPENCER, New Lebanon, N. Y.

The clover and timothy seed I received from you were all right, they were cleaned in good shape.—F. A. SMITH, Canton, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—The clover and timothy seed I purchased of you last spring was clean and all O. K. I have a good seeding from it.—ALVAH FURMAN, Meehoopany, Pa.

I was perfectly satisfied with the clover and timothy seed, bought of you last spring; it was better than I could get here, free from foul weeds. Shall need enough to seed 25 acres next spring.—F. B. BROCKLEBANK, Holcomb, N. Y.

The clover and timothy were as represented, thoroughly re-cleaned, and I believe every seed germinated. You can depend upon my patronage.—THEO. GEHRING, New Florence, Pa.

Dear Sir:—The clover and timothy seed I got of you last spring was thoroughly re-cleaned, the germination was good and I have an excellent seeding.—M. D. SKINNER, Norwich, N. Y.

The timothy and clover was all you represented it to be. My neighbor who sent with me said it gave him the best seeding he ever had.—GRANT B. ROBINSON, Portville, N. Y.



## TALKING ABOUT BIG CORN

### READ WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT

# DIBBLE'S SEED CORN

Any one who has a fair command of the English language can write big stories about the things they have to sell, but in the preparation of our catalog we are very careful to tell the exact truth without exaggeration about everything we offer therein. We grow annually large acreages of corn on our own farms and as our land is especially good corn land, of course, we have as a rule, most splendid crops. The quality of our seed corn crop of 1910 is exceptionally good, in fact, never better; germination tests are very high and our seed corn is the best that money can buy. We know it is so good that we are willing to back it up in so far that we ask you to place your order at once and immediately after you receive the corn test it any way you choose, and if you are not thoroughly satisfied that it is as we claim it to be, *the best seed corn that money can buy*, return it to us mailing us bill lading, we will refund your money and pay the freight both ways.

Our seed corn is advertised by our customers, and a satisfied customer is the best possible advertisement. Only a few years ago we were selling a small quantity of seed corn, but our trade has increased in leaps and bounds, until now we are probably selling more strictly high grade seed corn than any other mail order seed house in the East.

Kindly read the following testimonial letters from our customers who have tested on their own farms the superior quality of Dibble's seed corn.

I had a good crop of Mammoth Yellow Flint corn, germination was good. I consider it the best variety I ever planted.—O. L. BARBER, Canton, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I had a large crop from the Improved Leaming and 80 Day Dent, the stalks stood about ten feet tall and I was very well pleased with both kinds. We shall want more seed from you next year. I ordered corn for some of my neighbors who are well pleased with their crop.—THOS. E. RUTHERFORD, Watertown, N. Y.

The corn I got of you last spring was good. I had corn in the same piece of ground the third time. Yours was the best. Every grain came up. Planted June 8 and cut September 16. Am husking and will fill two cribs where I only filled one the last two years.—JOHN MAUS, Bucks Co., Pa.

The Eighty-Day Dent corn has arrived and upon testing showed 100 per cent. germination.—E. H. SMITH, Danby, Va.

The corn I got of you germinated well. Stalks grew nine feet high, yield 125 bushels to the acre.—GEORGE ANDERSON, Medina, N. Y.

The seed corn grew to an average of 12 feet in height in one of the worst droughts this section ever had. I estimate the yield 23 to 24 tons per acre; it is well adapted to this section.—PAUL W. GOODSOE, Stratham, N. H.

The Improved Early Leaming seed corn did most grandly. 95 per cent. of it germinated and matured by Sept. 15th. I am husking 5 acres. My man who is husking it says it will surely go 700 bu. The stalks grew 11 to 14 feet high.—D. H. EVANS, Wayne Co., N. Y.

The Leaming corn obtained from you planted 12½ acres and from the field we filled two silos each 14 feet in diameter by 33 feet in height, silage was cut to ¾-inch in length and well trod. It was the best field of corn in this section. The germination test was 98 per cent.—J. H. GODFREY, Trumansburg, N. Y.

I liked your Eighty-Day Dent corn. It was of good quality and germinated 98 per cent. The stalks were 12 feet in height. Planted May 28, it was ripe the first week in September. We are well satisfied with your seed.—M. E. GRIFFITH, Litchfield County, Conn.

I tested your Yellow Flint corn and it came every kernel. Have you plenty of corn on hand as my neighbors want some?—E. B. HALLOCK, Red Creek, N. Y.

The Mammoth Yellow Flint corn germinated well. The stalks grew 10 to 15 feet tall, ears 10 to 14 inches long. I believe it is the best ensilage corn ever raised in this section.—G. W. SHARP, Erie Co., Pa.





## Our seed corn has satisfied others, why should it not please you?

Your seed corn was satisfactory like that of former years. The germination was almost perfect. The Mammoth Yellow Flint corn matured well, over 200 bushels to the acre being husked on our own farms.—S. L. STRIVINGS, Wyoming Co., N. Y.

Last spring I bought of you two bushels each of Eighty-Day Dent and Improved Leaming corn from which I filled two silos, 30 by 14½ feet in diameter, and still have some left of each kind to husk. The ears were all large and long and every kernel grew. The best corn I ever raised.—FRANK B. HOMET, Bradford Co., Pa.

From the 10 acres of Improved Leaming corn raised from your seed, we filled a silo 30 ft. in height by 15 ft. in diameter, and from the remainder will husk over 1000 bushels of ears. I consider your Improved Leaming the best variety I ever grew on my farm.—O. M. DIBBLE, Ontario Co., N. Y.

The Eighty-Day Dent corn eared well, ears 8 to 12 inches long. It matures easily in 80 to 90 days.—G. W. SHARP, Erie Co., Pa.

The seed corn purchased from you gave good satisfaction.—W. W. CHAMBERLAIN, Woodsville, N. H.

The Dent corn purchased of you germinated, all of it; there was a large growth and a fine stand. We estimate a yield of 25 tons per acre.—E. A. GERE & SON, Cuba, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—I wish to express my admiration for your straightforward and business like ways, and will favor you with future orders another season.—WILLIAM CAHILL, Montgomery, N. Y.

The Eighty-Day Yellow Dent corn was O. K., grew ten feet high on the average, and I had one acre that husked 200 bushels, it is good enough for yours truly.—CLARK H. CARMER, Niagara Co., N. Y.

The seed that I purchased of you last year was very nice indeed and the Leaming corn matured very nicely.—FRANK B. LINDSAY, Philmont, N. Y.

The corn I bought of you did well. I mixed the two kinds together for the silo and the stalks grew 12 to 14 feet tall. The Leaming is the best for this locality.—A. D. TURBS, Maple View, N. Y.

We have just finished husking a two-acre lot of corn raised from your Mammoth Yellow Flint seed corn and the yield has been so good that I cannot keep it to myself. We put into our corn crib out of this two-acre lot 460 bushels of very fine corn.—H. A. MEDLONG, Oswego Co., N. Y.

The Yellow Flint was fine. The ears were from 14 to 16 inches long. We had an acre and a half of the Flint and just got it husked and had 275 bushels.—W. N. KING, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y.

In regard to Eighty-Day Dent seed corn bought of you, will say that the germination was practically perfect. It was the heaviest eared corn I have ever raised, many stalks having three ears and the majority two ears on them. I shall want seed for twenty-five or thirty acres this spring. If there is any danger of your being sold out early, let me know so I can order the amount I want.—G. H. INGALSBY, Sandy Hill, N. Y.

The Improved Leaming and Eighty-Day Dent corn germinated well. The stalks grew 14 feet high. Was cut for silo Sept. 21st. Am husking some that will yield 125 bu. to the acre. Ears 10 inches long and perfectly ripe.—T. H. LAMONTE, Livingston Co., N. Y.

From one bushel of the Mammoth Yellow Flint corn we planted last spring, we have husked over 400 of good hard corn. The other seeds have also given good results especially the alfalfa. Yours was certainly the best grass and clover seed we have ever purchased being plump and free from weeds.—CHARLES TUTTLE, Madison Co., N. Y.

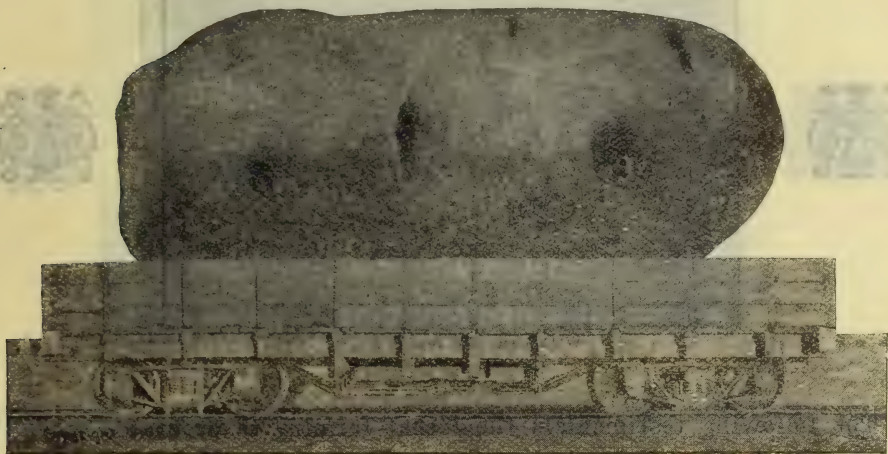
The seed corn bought of you last spring had good germination and the stalks grew nine to ten feet tall, put it in the silo the first week in October and it made No. 1 ensilage.—J. Y. BRIGHTMAN, Mayville, N. Y.

The seed corn was all right and germination nearly perfect.—W. N. RICE, Whitesville, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—Your corn germinated well. Shall plant the same kind next year.—L. W. HALL, Spencer, N. Y.

Ninety-eight per cent. of the Mammoth Yellow Flint corn germinated. Ears 12 to 15 inches in length and yield 51 bushels of shelled corn to the acre.—C. H. VAN BLARCOM, Sussex Co., N. J.

# Read This Little Circular, There is Money in it For You



**Our Seed Potatoes are not as large as this one**

*To whom it may concern:*

I have been acquainted with the members of the firm of Edward F. Dibble, Seedgrower, for a great many years, and I regard them as strictly reliable and honorable in all their dealings and worthy of the confidence of seed buyers, wherever located. Each member of the company is a practical farmer and they have some 1600 acres in their seed farms in this vicinity. Testing as they do annually various varieties of potatoes and grain on their own farms, anything they recommend can be depended on as having given good results with them. They are one of the largest concerns growing and selling farm seeds in the United States, and I believe that farmers a thousand miles away can do business with this company with the utmost safety and satisfaction.

BANK OF HONEOYE FALLS,

Honeoye Falls, N. Y.

A. M. HOLDEN, Banker.

## **WHO WE ARE AND WHY YOU SHOULD BUY YOUR FARM SEEDS OF US.**

We are located a few miles south of Rochester, in the Honeoye Valley, near the junction of the Honeoye and the Genesee, a most favored section for producing good, strong, vigorous seeds. We are not mere seed dealers as many so-called seedsmen are, buying seeds of every Tom, Dick and Harry, but Seed Growers, and when you buy of us, you do not pay profits to a half dozen middlemen.

The members of our firm are practical farmers, and we own six farms aggregating 1,200 acres, also operate two other farms of over four hundred acres, all located right here in one township, or a total of 1,600 acres, and we grow a large proportion of the seeds we sell.

Our trade has increased so enormously of late years, however, that it is impossible to grow all our own seeds, therefore certain varieties of early potatoes are grown for us on virgin soil several hundred miles farther north and brought here for storage, and some of our corn, clover and grass seeds are grown in those especially favored sections of the United States where the different varieties reach their best development. It is our aim to sell but one grade of seeds and that "The best that money will buy." We do not plant low grade seeds ourselves nor will we sell them to our customers. Our oats are all grown here in the Valley Country as is also the majority of our corn. Our seed potatoes are kept in specially constructed, frost proof storage warehouses which we keep at an even temperature and deliver you seed stock in the spring full of vitality, ready to produce for you a most satisfactory crop. Our trade is increasing annually, and we have had to increase our warehouse facilities by the addition of another warehouse, located on the New York Central tracks at Honeoye Falls, (of 40 by 60 feet), so that the total capacity of our three warehouses now will aggregate at least 75,000 bushels. Our cleaning plant is equipped with the best milling and cleaning machinery known to the trade, and our corn and oats are thoroughly re-cleaned. Mr. Edward F. Dibble, the President, has charge of the office and correspondence, and Mr. Dean G. Martin, our Treasurer, can always be found at the warehouses during the season, so that from the time the first bushel is placed in store in the Fall till the last barrel is shipped in the Spring, Mr. Martin is on the job attending to the re-cleaning of the grains and the assorting and packing of the potatoes. Personal attention pays.



# WAREHOUSE A



Warehouses 360 feet in length.  
Capacity 75,000 Bushels

The following testimonials show that farming is profitable when  
Dibble's Seed Potatoes are used:

The potatoes you sent me last spring were fine, better than anything else I had and yielded 300 bushels per acre free from blight.—S. D. IRELAND, Fremont, O.

The potatoes grew to perfection without any blight. The four barrels bought of you were planted on one acre of ground and yielded 320 bushels.—J. W. F. COPENHEAVER, York county, Pa.

The seed Potatoes bought from you were very good. Germination was perfect. The yield from your seed planted by the side of my own home-grown seed was three times as good.—H. B. NOLL, Ellicott City, Md.

The yield from your seed potatoes was double the amount grown from other seed and much nicer.—J. D. SESLER, Uniontown, Pa.

The Potatoes you sent me produced a crop of splendid potatoes.—O. E. HARDY, W. Townsend, Mass.

The Potatoes turned out well, they are A No. 1.—FRED NEWMAN, New Brunswick, N. J.

I received the potatoes and if I ever raise potatoes as good looking as the seed will be well satisfied. All of the neighbors who have seen them, think they are very handsome seed. Most of the seed that has come from Maine this year is very poor looking.—G. EDWARD HATHAWAY, N. Dighton, Mass.

The two cars of seed potatoes I had from you did much the best of any grown in our section. I had also three cars of Maine seed but yours was much the best and free from disease.—HIRAM MOUNT, Edinburgh, N. J.

Size and yield from seed potatoes very good, the best yield of potatoes we ever raised, quality A No. 1.—SEARS & HOWELL, Blooming Grove, N. Y.

The seed potatoes purchased from you gave excellent results and yielded much better than home grown seed, being free from blight and disease.—CLARENCE MERWIN, Wallkill, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—From one and one-half acres we dug 299 bushels from your seed, absolutely free from disease. The seed was perfectly satisfactory to us in every way.—D. C. HARTES, Dearborn Co., Ind.

Dear Sir:—The seed potatoes I had from you were much better than other seed potatoes, want some more. Kindly give price, etc.—LORING GRIMES, Rockport, Mass.

Dear Sir:—The car load of potatoes I bought of you last year produced the only good crop in this section.—HARRY K. FOWLER, Mercersburg, Pa.

Enclosed find order for potatoes and check for same. Last year we planted your Moneymaker on three-fourths of an acre and I sold 325 bushels by weight. Not enough small ones to pay for picking up.—C. M. HATHAWAY, Peru, Mass.



## What Dibble's Seed Potatoes have done for others, they will do for you.

Potatoes were almost a complete failure this year owing to weather conditions and bugs, but potatoes grown from your seed produced from one-fourth to one-third more per acre than from home grown seed.—C. E. KEMMERER, Bethlehem, Pa.

The potatoes I received from you last spring did well, yielding about 200 bushels per acre. My home grown seed yielded about 50 bu.—S. A. GLOVER, Lycoming Co., Pa.

Dear Sir:—Your Early Manistee and Money-maker did very well, yield about 250 bushels per acre.—NEWTON SMITH, S. Hadley Falls, Mass.

Your Money-maker potatoes yielded 250 bushels per acre.—R. B. HARRISON, Bordentown, N. J.

I had a very good crop of potatoes from your seed, the three varieties averaged 210 bushels per acre.—HUGH RIDDEL, Brentwood, N. Y.

The seed oats and potatoes which you sold me last year were most satisfactory. The yield of potatoes was large and quality excellent.—EDWARD R. ANDREWS, Elm Leigh Farm, Putney, Vt.

The potatoes we got from you withstood the blight and were all O. K., it is best to plant northern grown seed.—JAS. S. MITCHELL, Spilman, W. Va.

Send me your catalog. The potatoes I bought from you last year yielded about twice as much as my own seed planted in the same field.—G. H. WHITESSELL, Laneville, W. Va.

The seed potatoes I had from you yielded well, they were free from blight and disease of any form and yielded about 260 bushels per acre.—H. B. HARRINGTON, Roxbury, N. Y.

I had a very good crop of potatoes this year from your seed and shall want twenty-five barrels next spring.—M. FIERO LASHER, Saugerties, N. Y.

The seed purchased from you was satisfactory in every respect.—H. D. WAIT, Watertown, N. Y.

Received my potatoes and am well pleased with them, they are as fine a lot as I ever saw.—WILLIAM E. MYERS, Bloomsbury, N. J.

The seed potatoes received from you last spring have proved all right, the yield is almost double that from home grown seed.—J. A. SHUEY, New Cumberland, Pa.

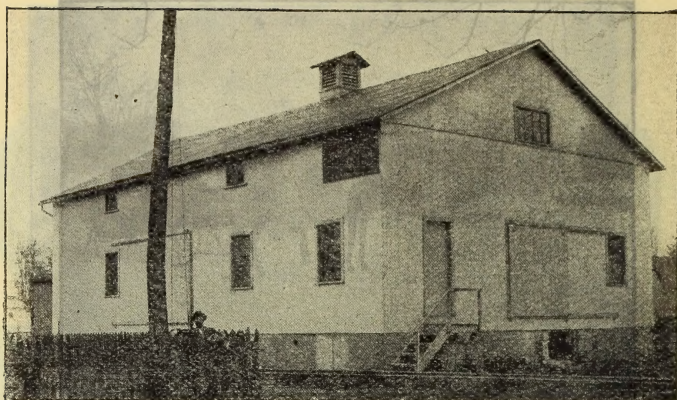
Dear Sir:—The Early Rose were fine, raised 70 bushels from each barrel planted.—W. D. EMPIRE, Schoharie Co., N. Y.

The seed potatoes gave especially good results, yielded at the rate of 225 bushels per acre, while our home grown seed averaged only about 150 bushels per acre.—WILLIAM F. BECK, Northampton Co., Pa.

The Manistee gives better results than any other potato I have ever planted either from home-grown seed or from any other source. The yield was about 260 bushels per acre, no blight or disease in any form.—R. E. HIRE, Fairfield, Va.

I must say those potatoes did splendidly, the yield was twice as good as our own seed.—I. W. RUSH, Clarion Co., Pa.





Our Seed Potatoes give good results wherever planted.

Dear Sir:—The yield of the seed potatoes obtained from you was over 200 bushels per acre, no blight and never raised better potatoes.—J. P. NEWTON, Saybrook, Conn.

Kindly send price list of seed potatoes. For eleven years I was head farmer at the Polk Institution and as the seeds you have always shipped gave entire satisfaction and arrived in perfect condition, I wish to purchase some more. As you will see I am now located in a different locality.—W. M. PIPER, Supt., Indiana Co., Home, Pa.

We have planted your potatoes for the last two years, they yielded an average of 180 bushels per acre and were free from blight.—O. B. & J. T. ROBINS, Jersey Shore, Pa.

The Moneymakers are the best yielders we have grown.—J. E. PALMER, Shelton, Conn.

The season here this year was too dry for a big crop but potatoes grown from our own seed did not produce over one-half the crop that your northern grown seed did.—WILLIS E. BACON, Middletown, Conn.

Dear Sir:—Received the potatoes in good condition, they were the nicest potatoes I ever planted. CHRISTIAN GIERMAN, Robbinsville, N. J.

Dear Sir:—I received the potatoes all O. K., they were the finest I ever saw.—S. S. GOODWIN, Athens Co., Ohio.

The Carman No. 3 yielded 290 bushels per acre, Early Ohio 270, Early Manistees 310.—E. N. HICKEY, Hampshire Co., Mass.

Dear Sir:—I bought three barrels New Queen potatoes from you last year and had the only good crop in our town.—W. K. CROSBY, Greene Co., N. Y.

Dear Sir:—I planted the potatoes I ordered from you on a half-acre of thin land with no manure and dug 113 bushels entirely free from blight and rot.—A. J. REYNOLDS, Winsted, Conn.

Dear Sir:—The results from your seed potatoes were very satisfactory and gave a third better yield than from home grown seed free from blight and disease.—J. D. IRWIN, Girdland, Pa.

The Delawares did the best with me making a yield of 225 bushels per acre which was better than the average in this territory.—W. B. BACHELDER, North Chichester, N. H.

The Moneymaker and Ionia were both very good and free from blight.—A. D. BROWN, Deerland, N. Y.

Dear Sir:—The potatoes I received from you last spring gave good returns. I shall want some more another year.—J. H. SNYDER, Belvidere, N. J.

The seed potatoes arrived on the 17th and my friends think they are so nice that they wish me to order some for them. Enclosed you will find check, etc.—J. E. DICKERSON, Branchville, N. J.

The Early Rose I had from you were very satisfactory in every respect, no blight or disease of any kind and yielded about 200 bu. per acre.—G. E. REED, Carmel, N. Y.





# EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED GROWER

## HONEOYE FALLS, N.Y.

NORTHERN GROWN SEED POTATOES  
CLOVER AND GRASS SEED  
CORN AND OATS

